

CUNARD LINER SUNK BY U BOAT

Vinovia, With \$1,500,000 Cargo of Food and Munitions From New York, Sunk Off the British Isles—Fate of Crew Not Known.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

An Atlantic Port, Dec. 29.—Destruction of the Cunard liner Vinovia by a German submarine in the barred zone off the British Isles was told today in private dispatches received by Marine underwriters.

The Vinovia, valued at \$900,000, and a vessel of 5,503 gross tons, was carrying a \$1,500,000 cargo of food and munitions from New York to London. She was formerly the Anglo-Bolivian. No word has been received as to the fate of the crew.

COLD SNAP TIES UP NAVIGATION

Ferry Transport Makes Her Last Trips Today—Skillypot Not Running—Boatyards Quit Work—Thermometers Range From Zero to 12 Below.

With thermometers ranging all the way from zero to 12 degrees below the coldest day so far this season was ushered into Kingston this morning accompanied by a cold biting wind that made walking an exertion, and nipped the ears of many pedestrians, and caused a number of the policemen on street duty to wear ear coverings for the first time this season.

A hint of the cold wave was furnished Friday afternoon for as night drew on the temperature grew more crisp and cold, and all through the night a keen cutting wind blew seeking out all the chinks and openings in the windows and doors of the houses, making it hard work to keep the rooms warm. In many houses where the heat was furnished by hot air furnaces the householders found it impossible to heat the house evenly throughout, but that only certain rooms could be heated comfortably.

Even Boatyards Quit. Work has progressed on the local boatyards all winter, but today for the first time the men on many of the yards quit work finding it impossible to handle the tools owing to the extreme cold which nipped hands and numbed the fingers.

Skillypot Stops Running. The Skillypot which has been plying the creek found her track frozen solid this morning and did not make any trips. The ice in the lower creek was thick and solid so that residents in Sleightsburgh walked the ice all day.

Transport's Last Trips. The ferry transport assisted by the tug Rob made as many of her scheduled trips today as possible. Today is the last she will run this season owing to the extreme difficulty in battering a way through the heavy ice in the river.

Coal Yards Busy. The local coal dealers found enough business to keep them jumping delivering orders. Chestnut coal was delivered only in half ton lots today.

HOLIDAYS ENDED FOR SOLDIERS

Most of the soldiers and sailors who spent their holiday furloughs in this city have returned to their camps and cantonments and the khaki and navy uniforms are greatly missed on the streets in this city. During the past week old Kingston has been presenting a fine aggregation of her sons who have gone to serve Uncle Sam.

The physical training that these men have received since enlisting is plainly shown in the fine physique of the men home at Christmas. They are a fine appearing lot of fighting men and Kingston should be proud of them.

They all seem to praise, in the same manner, Uncle Sam, in the treatment afforded them and all seem to enjoy the fascination of military life.

Kingston and Ulster county is at present represented in about 35 different camps and cantonments throughout the United States in both the Army and Navy. This record is to be envied by many cities and counties of much larger size and population in New York state.

Men are continually enlisting in different branches of service and the spirit of patriotism characteristic of our Colonial City is being maintained to the standard.

On the Roll of Honor. It is said that Mrs. J. A. Sullivan of Mountville, W. Va., has 21 relatives in active service, besides her two sons.

ARMY IN FRANCE IS SNOWBOUND

Five Days of Continuous Snowfall Covers the Ground With Three Feet of Snow and Traffic is Badly Upset.

By Telegram to The Freeman.

With The American Army in France, Dec. 29.—Five days of continuous snowfall has covered the entire American camp with a blanket three feet deep that is upsetting traffic.

Stalled motor cars and ambulances are seen at mile intervals along the roads. As the result of an order from headquarters prescribing careful driving there has been an absence of casualties although the surgeons are busy relieving cases of frost-bitten feet and chilblains and frozen ears.

The soldiers are discussing the latest American news in newly arrived newspapers from "The States" and snort at reports of camp "hardships" undergone by certain units that "where deprived of steam heat for three days" and others who "were forced to spend five cigarette days during which they had to smoke pipes."

Rapid promotion is the rule in the American army now, although the troops have not yet seen active service. A man who enlisted as a private last July today received a commission of first lieutenant.

BOYS ACTIVITIES AT THE Y. M. C. A.

Tonight at the Y. M. C. A. there will be an illustrated talk to boys on Florida. This will be given in the boys' rooms on the second floor. About seventy-five beautiful slides will be shown. This is free to all boys.

Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock a meeting for boys will be held. This is for boys 12 years of age and over. All boys are invited. An illustrated talk entitled, "By Canoe and Caravan Through the Heart of Africa," will be given, free.

Monday morning all boys of 12 years of age and over from schools No. 1, 2 and 3 are invited to enjoy all the privileges. The rooms will be open at 9 a. m. and the boys will be allowed to go on the gym floor, use the showers and have a swim. No boy of the above mentioned schools should miss this opportunity. The game room and other privileges will also be free to them that day.

3 p. m. Monday will be a big social time for all boys.

7 p. m. employed boys gym and swim.

8:45 p. m. all employed boys, Students A and B are invited to enjoy a fireside social. Refreshments, short talk, stunts.

EVERYONE WORKS ON QUESTIONNAIRES

Questionnaires are being sent out by the local boards at the rate of more than one hundred a day, and are coming in rapidly from registrants under the selective military service law who have filled them out. Registrants have seven days in which to fill out the questionnaire.

Including the questionnaires sent out today, the local board of Division No. 1 had sent out 1,367 questionnaires, those that were sent out today going to the registrants whose numbers are from 1,262 to 1,267, both inclusive.

The local board for Division No. 2, whose headquarters also are in this city, has sent out, including those sent today, 1,004 questionnaires.

The entire bar of Ulster county has responded to the work laid out for the lawyers of the country in a most creditable manner, and every lawyer in this city and practically every lawyer in the county outside the city has been kept busy for some part of each day aiding registrants in filling out the questionnaires. The Kingston lawyers have been most generous with their time, and not only have they served, at least two each day, in conducting the questionnaire court at the court house, but in their own offices each day besides the, have aided registrants, both day and night.

The clerks employed by the local boards are kept busy each day as the questionnaires come in, checking them up, making the proper records that are required to be kept, and performing the immense amount of detailed work which the new draft regulations make necessary.

A remarkable thing about the method of conducting the preliminary work for the second draft is the hearty co-operation which everyone has shown a disposition to give. There is a full realization of the fact that the work is necessary, that it must be performed, that only by co-operation can the United States attain quickly the results which the war is destined to accomplish, and thus far there has been no skirting.

She Lost \$65.

Mrs. Williams, the milliner, has reported to police headquarters that she lost a black bag containing \$65 in money between her millinery store and McBride's store on Broadway.

CHRISTMAS AT T. B. CAMP

Friday night the annual Christmas entertainment for the shut-ins at the Tuberculosis Camp was held. Thanks to the generosity of Miss Nettie Montanye, Mrs. George W. Palmer, Mrs. Myron Teller, a friend, Mrs. Grove Lasher, the Misses Deudney, Miss Helena Clearwater, Mrs. John Forsyth, James S. Fuller, Mrs. W. F. Dedrick, Miss Hattie Safford and the collection taken at the St. John's Christmas tree service, sufficient money was given to give each patient and attendant a gift, a basket containing mixed nuts, candy, dates and white grapes. In addition each patient received a silver quarter for spending money. The money contributed was made to go as far as it did because the L. B. Van Wageningen Company, Rose, Gorman & Rose, Miss Boice, milliner, Henry J. Hoffman, E. Mullen and William Iseman, dealers in tobacco and cigars, and Jacob A. Lay, manufacturer of candy, all made contributions, and discounts were given by Charles S. Wood, W. F. Dedrick, the McBride Company and A. H. Gildersleeve, wholesaler of fruits, etc. Each patient furthermore received a large grape fruit and orange, thanks to the kindness of the Lowell Club, which sent a Christmas box of grape fruit and Mrs. S. D. Coykendall, who sent a box of oranges. Other gifts were fourteen jars of jelly and canned fruit from Mrs. Esther L. Barnum, gift for Mrs. White from Mr. Harrison's Bible class of the St. James M. E. Church; 6 Victrola records from Mrs. Pond; 6 Victrola records from Mrs. D. E. Keyser; gifts for Mrs. Rogers and Mrs. Van Etten from Mrs. Charles Hoff and E. Hoff of Saugerties; clothing from the Misses Tanner and Mrs. Gillespie; a pair of blankets from Mrs. James A. Betts; clothing, books and oranges from Mrs. S. R. Devo; a can of fruit and jelly from Mrs. C. D. Hasbrouck; ice cream from the Kingston Dairy Company; a gift for each woman patient from Mrs. Sam Bernstein. There are twenty-three patients at the camp, including one little six year old girl, who was made very, very happy with the gift of a doll, such as would delight the heart of any little girl.

The evening's program was in charge of the young people of the Elmendorf Street Presbyterian Church, who assisted in doing up the packages and baskets of fruit, etc., before the entertainment. Those who assisted Mrs. Cady in doing up the packages were Mrs. Brown, Miss Beatrice Brown, Miss Anne Griffin and Miss Edith Schryver. Thanks to Mr. Davis, electrician, arrangements had been made for the operating of the electric lantern slide lantern of Dr. Cady's, and never were pictures more beautifully presented than those shown by Dr. Cady. Beginning with Christmas carols sung by all of the entertainers, Miss Emma Young, Miss Beatrice O'Hann, Miss Margaret Overbaugh, George Silver, Gordon Burham, Mr. and Mrs. Ford Hummel, Dr. and Mrs. Putnam Cady and Mrs. C. N. Reed, the program continued with a vocal solo by Gordon Burham, accompanied by Mr. Hummel. This was followed by two violin solos, played by Mr. Hummel, after which there were more carols. Dr. Cady was then introduced to the patients, whom he had been getting acquainted with while arranging his lantern and slides, and just to make the Christmas celebration really merry, Dr. Cady first showed some humorous pictures of children and incidents photographed in this vicinity and which greatly amused all. Following this the Doctor showed his very beautiful lantern slides of Jerusalem, briefly describing the places which were the setting for that first Christmas when "Christ was born in Bethlehem," and for one day at least the whole world was at peace. These pictures and the Doctor's talk were a very rare treat, not only to the patients, Superintendent Gates and Superintendent Nurse Miss Hamburger and her assistant nurse, Miss Brown, but by those who visited the hospital. After the pictures a vocal duet was sung by Miss Young and Mr. Burham, and then Mr. Hummel played again for the patients. While every bit of the music was thoroughly enjoyed, perhaps the one thing which the patients seemed to enjoy was Mr. Hummel's violin music. After this treat came the distribution of gifts by Mrs. Reed, and while all of the patients seemed unusually happy over their gifts, little six year old Dorothy Coddington, with her dolly, her box of handkerchiefs (sent by Santa Claus through Miss Teller), and her nice warm stockings, made the Christmas exceptionally real. The evening's entertainment closed with the singing of America, as many of the patients as were able standing while the national hymn was sung. Thanks to Charles A. Winter for his sleigh, and to Frank Winfield for his team of horses, and his own careful driving, the visitors to the camp were privileged to have a real, old-fashioned straw ride to the camp.

Show and Dance. On New Year's eve, December 31, the young folks of the Immaculate Conception Church will have at their school hall a brief comical entertainment and dance. The popular orchestra of three pieces under the direction of Prof. Schwabach will supply the music for dancing. Refreshments will be served. All who attend will enjoy a most pleasing last evening of 1917.

IN THE SERVICE OF OUR COUNTRY

Mrs. S. Fish had received an interesting letter from her son, Rob, who is stationed at Fort Hancock.

Clarence Monroe, Eugene Bennett, and Ernest Pluglein, are three Ulster county boys with Battery C, 21st F. A., stationed at Camp Stanley, Leon Springs, Texas.

Michael J. Ferguson, Headquarters Co. 310th Inf., Camp Dix, N. J., has returned after spending five days' furlough with his father and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gallagher, No. 192 Foxhall avenue.

Mrs. C. W. DeWitt of Napanoch has received an interesting letter from her son, Herbert, who enlisted in June. The letter is written in Chattanooga, Tenn. He states that he receives The Freeman every day.

Mr. and Mrs. George Griffin have received word from their son, John, who is now stationed in Texas, in the Aviation Corps. His address is Line No. 118 Prov. Recruit Regiment, Kelly Field No. 1, South San Antonio, Texas.

Richard B. Johnston, son of R. F. Johnston, has passed the examination and is now rated as first-class printer in the U. S. navy. He is now stationed on the troop ship Agamemnon, formerly the German liner Kaiser Wilhelm II.

Robert Hilder, mechanic, with Company M, 10th Infantry, stationed at Camp Wadsworth, Spartanburg, S. C., is enjoying a 15 day furlough at the home of his wife's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Reynolds on Lucas avenue, this city.

Ward Reynolds, a Fleischmanns boy, a member of the National Army at Camp Dix, was stricken with a sudden attack of appendicitis at the Pennsylvania station in New York Wednesday evening while returning to camp from Fleischmanns. He was removed to a hospital and operated upon at once.

Roderick Macrae Blach, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Blach, of Flatbush avenue, enlisted in the 26th Company at Fort Andrews, Mass., on December 14, and has now been transferred to the 1st Company, Battery A, 55th Regiment, Coast Artillery, at Fort Revere, Hull, Mass., and expects to go to France shortly.

Sergeant R. Frederick Clidsey of Co. D, 303d Engineers, Camp Dix, is spending the Christmas holidays at his home on St. James street. Upon his return to Camp Dix he will leave immediately for a southern camp, being one of seventeen men in his regiment who have been selected to attend the Engineers' Officers' Training School.

Mrs. George Post of 110 Gage street, this city, has received a letter from her son, Private Jay B. Ellis, Company E, 9th Infantry, 2nd Division, 3rd Brigade, Expeditionary Forces in France, in which he states that he is feeling fine and had a fine turkey dinner Thanksgiving. Private Ellis has been in France since October 17, 1917.

Captain Malcolm E. Parrott, U. S. A., of Highland, has been assigned to the inspection section, ordnance department, and is now stationed at the plant of the Nash Motors Company, Kenosha, Wisconsin. It is said this concern has a large order from the government for steel ammunition trucks, and each truck must be approved by an inspector of ordnance before it is accepted by the government.

William P. White, son of Policeman and Mrs. P. J. White of No. 123 Broadway, was tendered a surprise party Friday evening by a number of his friends at his home. Mr. White is a musician stationed at Camp Wadsworth, South Carolina, and is home on a furlough. During the evening vocal solos were rendered by Miss Post and Miss Dahlem, while Corporal Harry Malsenhelder rendered piano selections and Mr. White gave a cornet solo. A feature of the evening was an Irish breakdown given by Officer P. J. White. Refreshments were served and the guests departed at an early hour this morning after a most enjoyable time.

NEW MEMBER OF LOCAL LAW FIRM

William D. Brinnier, Jr., who on December 31 will retire from the office of city judge of Kingston, will on January 1 become a member of the firm of Brinnier & Canfield, and the firm will then take the name of Brinnier, Canfield & Brinnier. Mr. Brinnier is a son of Corporation Counsel William D. Brinnier, Sr.

Episcopal Churches to Unite.

In compliance with the request of the fuel administrator and for the furtherance of the patriotic spirit of conservation of all energies and the uniting of the people, the three Episcopal Churches in the city will from January first hold union services in the evening. During the month of January the evening service will be held at St. John's Church; in February at Holy Spirit Church; and for the first few Sundays in March at Holy Cross Church. Following along this same plan of union and conservation, the Lenten services will be specially arranged for the three churches, announcement of which has been made.

RED CROSS ROLL OF HONOR

Names of Persons Who Have Joined the Ulster County Chapter of the Red Cross During the Membership Campaign.

The following names of persons who have joined the Red Cross have been furnished for publication:

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Miss Ada Slater.
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Frank McCarthy.
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Wm. Stewart.
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Matt Johnston.
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Henry Schmidt.
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John H. Conlin.
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J. D. Hammond.
Howard Weist.
Angeline Spina.
Sebastian Madarte.
Sam Alnat.
Richard Adin.
William Watzka.
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Henry Miller.
Mrs. Peter Winesal.
Lester E. Barth.

Chas. Marlock.
Jno. McCardia.
Frank Maser.
Peter Tamp.
Wm. Van Keuren.
M. T. Mahr, Jr.
Ivan Richards.
Fred Wolven.
Richard Carney.
Jno. Bence.
Jno. Mulher.
Richard Purvis.
Floyd Young.
Cornelius Constable.
Alton Conner.
Claude Downen.
Charles Jansen.
Martin H. Snyder.
C. Roaman Stull.
Geo. A. Johnston.
Anna Mairo.
Mary Lorenzo.
Mamie Stopskie.
Albert Mulson.
Lillian Reedill.
Drellen Moore.
D. J. Walker.
Miss A. M. Decker.
Geneva Bowers.
John Scharsch.
Roscoe A. Masten.
Miss Helen Jucker.
Miss Katherine D. Millard.
Barney Reiner.
Miss Mary Black.
Miss Margaret Houser.
Mary S. Harvey.
Miss E. J. McClurg.
Mrs. Andrew Parslow.
John Leonsard.
Mrs. John Raichle.
Mrs. George Duffner.
Miss Mary Scully.
Mrs. D. Matic.
Cussie Keiffer.
Mrs. Laura Van Tassel.
Harry P. Carr.
Edna M. Chatfield.
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Mrs. Amasa Smith.
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Ethelind Ryer.
Fred Scheffel.
William Schaffer.
Albert Topp.
W. H. Seconmaker.
Mrs. Henry McNamee.
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Miss Mary Diamond.
P. O. Southard.
Miss Josephine Vallette.
Miss Lucy Berryman.
Mrs. William Kemble.
E. S. Contant.
Miss Nellie Van Valkenburg.
Arthur Merrill.
Miss Anna McNally.
Mrs. Joseph Hasbrouck.
Michael Costello.
Miss Emma Shurtor.
Miss Evelyn Roza.
Master Hollis N. Burthans.
Miss Lillie Blitt.
Mrs. Harry Wheeler.
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GERMANY'S RACIAL VANITY.

A glance through a little book of collected German utterances before and after the beginning of this war—"Kultur Self-Revelation"—fills the reader with amazement that such prodigious racial vanity could possibly exist. The utterances include those of high officials, ecclesiastics and newspaper editors as well as of Treitschke, the prophet of tribalism, Nietzsche, the apostle of ruthlessness, and Bernhardi, the high-priest of ambition and world-domination. Think, for example, of a clergyman, Pastor W. Lehmann, declaring that "the German soul is God's soul; it shall and will rule over mankind!" Think of a German professor (Engelbrecht) finding a "deep meaning" in the saying of a little boy at the outbreak of the war, "God will help us for I am a German." There is much more and worse of the same sort. Prof. Sombart, for example, announcing his discovery in the writings of Nietzsche "the tidings that there should be born from us the Son of God, when in his language he called the Superman."

With such blasphemous vanity obsessing the German mind, no wonder Dr. Tolkein found England a "Judas entering the war" to earn the thirty pieces of silver; no wonder Pastor Munch saw "Germany itself transformed into a suffering Christ;" no wonder Dr. Preuss saw the godlike German people "expressing a repetition of the Passion of Christ;" and Pastor Rump announced that "our defeat would also mean the defeat of His Son in humanity," while others proclaimed the Germans as the "chosen people of God" in a far higher and more complete sense than was Israel of old. The non-ecclesiastical German militarist, to his credit be it said, does not mix any blasphemy with his lust of world-domination. He merely longs to tread down the nations and set up a world empire through the acceptance of the German language as the universal language of all other peoples and that the blessings of Kultur will more than repay conquered nations for the loss of their independence, agreeing, of course, with Chamberlain (who merely happened to have an English father) that "no duty is more urgent than that of forcing the German language upon the world."

Unhappy world! What greater horror than this could be brought upon the allies and the United States in case of their defeat? Even a German President, German governors of our States, the confederation of all our property, slavery in order to pay the last farthing of tribute, would be relatively mild afflictions. To have the German language forced upon us would take rank in its terrible hideousness with the universal insecurity of our women. This is no nightmare of unsubstantial basis. With a weekly paper for German youth in January, 1913, describing wars of expansion as "the most august and sacred of human activities," and with even Maximilian Harden as far back as 1911 assuring that the "hostile arrangement" of other nations "releases us from all our treaty obligations" and forces Germany "to revive the Prussian policy of conquest," we may know what to expect if we do not rise to the urgent need and win this war.

A BLOW IN RESERVE.

According to the Paris paper, On Dec. 29, 1917, President Wilson notified the Inter-Allied Conference through Colonel House that when he had a large enough army on the western front he would send an ultimatum to Germany and that if the ultimatum were not accepted within forty-eight hours he would ask Congress for a law to bar German citizens and goods from the United States for fifty years. Whether the President sent any such message to the conference or not (and if he did On Dec. 29 it would not have been informed) is immaterial. The important point for the Germans to consider is that there are conceivable circumstances under which such a blow might be demanded and obtained, and that if the throats of many more captured American soldiers are cut, the time for such legislation will be very near if not actually arrived.

What the loss of American trade and friendship in long years to come would mean must be obvious even to the stubborn Teuton mind. It would

be a crushing blow from which German industrialism could never recover, for it would inevitably be followed by a similar exclusion from all the countries of the Allies, the Orient and even from that part of South America which is still neutral though smarting from intolerable outrage. Germany would be shut up within walls of withering ostracism, there to repeat in vain of its lust of world domination and its ruthless methods of warfare which have shamed humanity, outraged mankind, and made of the German name throughout the world what the ancient Israelites effectively described as "an astonishment and a blessing." The sooner Germany realizes that the trump cards are held by a world once a friend and now an enemy the better for her people.

LITTLE LAUGHS.

"Father knows you're going to marry sister. I heard him talking about it the other day." "But I didn't know it myself until last night." "Oh, she told you, too, did she?" "Life."

"Of course, you are eager for the triumph of right." "Yes," replied Mr. Dustin Stax, "but it's hard sometimes to tell which the right side of the market really is."—Washington Star.

Briggs—"So you intend to encourage your wife's literary ambitions, do you?" Griggs—"I do, it's better to have her making up stories about imaginary people than about the neighbors."—Boston Transcript.

"Do you think you will ever own a car?" "Why not?" The controlling circumstances are bound to meet. "What do you mean?" "Autos keep coming down and I keep saving up."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

Air Ready.
The town corporation has resolved to lay out a new park.
"We have not only resolved to do it," said a leading alderman, "the preparations are already under way."

"What have we done?" asked an unenlightened colleague.
"Done?" exclaimed the alderman. "We've got the 'Keep Off the Grass' signs all ready."—Exchange.

Tommy Knew.
The teacher was teaching her pupils grammar.
"Now, Tom Jones," she said to an intelligent youngster in the front seat of the class, "A is the indefinite article. You see, and must only be used with the singular number. You say 'a man,' but you can't say 'a men,' can you?"

"Yes, I can," replied Tommy. "I can say 'a men,' too, like father does after his prayers."

"Come, Tommy, no jokes," replied the teacher reprovingly; declining.

"Nominative he, possessive his, objective him."

"Now, you can't say 'him book,' but you can say 'his book'."

"Yes, I do say 'hymn book,' too," said Tommy, with a chuckle.

Each one of these sallies made the teacher smile in spite of herself.

"But, now, Tommy, seriously, just attend to the active and passive voice, because if you strike you do something. But 'I am struck' is passive, because if you are struck you don't do anything, do you?"

"Yes, I do! I strike back again."

After this the teacher gave him up as a bad job.—New York Globe.

Papa of the Past.
Willie was doing penance in the corner. Presently he thought aloud pensively.
"I can't help it if I'm not perfect," he sighed. "I never heard of but one perfect boy anyway."

"Who was that?" asked the mother, thinking to point out a moral.

"Papa," came the reply, "when he was little."—Pathfinder.

Poor Jim!
Two girl friends met in the street and stopped to shake hands.
"So glad to see you, Grace," said the tailor-made Alice. "Was just on my way to ask you, as my oldest friend, to be one of my bridesmaids."

"Bridesmaid? How lovely! I did not know you were engaged," replied Grace.

"It's sudden, very sudden; but he's awfully in love and is just too lovely to live. Will you not?"

"Act? Of course, I'll be charmed. But," moving forward and speaking in an undertone, "do come along the corner and tell me all about it. Here comes that idiotic, irresponsible donkey, Jim Bertion. He's grinning as though he meant to stop, and I don't care to be seen talking to him."

"Jim Bertion? He's the man I'm going to marry!"—The Rehoboth Herald.

The Diplomat.
"Were you home when I was away, Bertram dear?" asked his wife when she returned from her visit to her mother.
"Yes, love, I was dreadfully lonely," replied Bertram dutifully.

"But, why didn't you write to me often? I had only two letters from you the whole time I was away?"

"Well, you see, my dear, I tried to write you, but I couldn't make the letters sound cheerful, and I was afraid you'd discover how lonesome I was and come right home. I wouldn't have spoiled your visit for the world, love."

"And he really thought she believed him!"—St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

WHY WOOD SHOULD BE USED AS FUEL

Not Only Does it Conserve Coal and Aid in Lessening Railroad Burden, But the Ashes are a Fertilizer Otherwise Unobtainable.

Next to the threatened shortage of certain food products in this country the fuel situation appears to be the most threatening of any of the immediate effects of the war. This is not due so much to the shortage of coal as to the labor conditions, greatly augmented by the lack of adequate transportation facilities. In spite of the fact that we are relatively near the great coal fields, there are many localities where the farm woodlot may be turned to as a means of relief.

Wood Equal to Coal.
The fuel value of our northern hardwoods as compared with anthracite coal is about two pounds of wood to one pound of coal. A cord of hickory, oak, beech, birch or hard maple weighs about 4,000 pounds and is approximately equivalent to one ton of coal. The lighter woods such as soft maple, basswood, and white pine take from a cord and a half to two cords to equal a ton of coal. Weight for weight, however, there is very little difference between the species. We believe that farm woodlot owners and dwellers in small cities should be informed of this. In many cases a direct saving can be made, in money paid out for fuel, and many persons living where the values of the two fuels about balance one another will use wood as a patriotic duty. Every cord of wood burned in place of a ton of coal, makes possible the use of that much coal in some other portion of the country or possibly its exportation to France or Italy.

Wood A-nes Valuable.
Out of every cord of hardwood burned there is 40 to 50 pounds of ash containing from 2 to 10 per cent of available potash, or an average of about 5 per cent, together with 30 per cent of lime and 2 per cent of phosphoric acid. Before the war this had a value of \$4 or \$5 per ton as fertilizer, and at present prices it is worth \$18 or \$20 per ton.

Make Soft Soap.
With war time economy the manufacture of soft soap has begun again to find a place for itself in many homes. By means of wood ashes and the fats which were formerly thrown away or fed to the pigs or chickens a family may make itself independent of the soap manufacturers.

Maple Syrup and Sugar.
The sugar situation is especially acute at present, and promises to be a pressing problem during the continuance of the war. Maple sugar and syrup are produced in this state in a more or less haphazard manner, and during the past few years many sugar bushes have been abandoned. We believe that this is an opportune time to increase the production of maple sugar and syrup. Even with the unusually high sugar prices prevailing, however, this need not be placed upon the market in competition with cane sugar, but rather in a class by itself. To do this requires that both the sugar and syrup be standardized as to quality. The invarious localities, and occasional manufacture and marketing of maple sugar products offers an unusual opportunity for cooperative organization. It is the opinion of this committee that while the state as a whole may not be ripe for such an association, there are certain counties where one could be successfully launched.

Cordwood Uses Wastes.
Cordwood may be made from the dead, overmature, and decaying trees, and from those trees thinned out from too crowded stands, resulting in a direct benefit to the woodlot. This work as well as that of gathering maple sugar products can usually be done in the season when the ordinary work of the farm is less pressing. At this time when labor is so difficult to secure and hold, the farm woodlot may be considered as the fly wheel by means of which desirable help may be profitably carried through an otherwise slack season.

Setting Out Forests.
Trees spaced 5x6 feet in the ground can be set for a total cost of about one cent per tree, and will give a return of 5 per cent or 6 per cent on the money invested at the end of 60 or 70 years.

Similar demonstrations should be urged in the same or neighboring communities in order to show the best ways of caring for growing woodlots. Special stress will be laid upon the culling and thinning of the woodlot for increased quality and growth.

Very often these demonstrations can be combined. Either or both may be used as the basis for the establishment of a demonstration woodlot. Such a woodlot is managed under a cooperative agreement between the owner and the Department of Forestry. It should be the scene of many demonstrations, occurring year after year, and furnish a constant example of a practical attempt at forest management. We hope eventually to establish at least one such demonstration area in each forest county.

Illustrated Lectures.
This department has a large collection of lantern slides and is prepared to use them in connection with extension lectures. Such lectures can be arranged for through the director of extension. For the sake of economy several of these should be scheduled in the same vicinity for succeeding dates. These can be located in adjoining communities, but preferably in different communities of the same county.

Uniform Prices in State for Wood Products.
The committee has made the suggestion that this department furnish the Farm Bureau news of the several counties with material of in-

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Summary.
The committee has attempted to confine its report to those phases of farm forestry which will best serve to alleviate the unusual conditions brought about by the war. Special stress has been laid upon the fuel situation, and the fuel value of our northern hardwoods. This is undoubtedly the greatest opportunity for immediate service on the part of woodlot owners. Next to this in importance is the possibility of adding some small amount to relieve the sugar shortage, and through the production of cordwood and sugar to assist the farmer to hold his help through the winter.

Demonstrations in the planting up, and in the care of the woodlot, should be continued and encouraged so far as labor conditions will permit. For this work the community organization offers a most advantageous unit with which to work. We must bear in mind that the carefully managed woodlot not only takes care of the present but should provide for the future.

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Eyre Gardner.
Knoll Brothers.
John Mazze.
Laura Herring.
Mrs. Olive Mott.
Mrs. John Ackerman.
Mrs. Etta House.
Rev. C. Van Oostenbrugge.
Mrs. Wm. Schryver.
Mrs. Ella Schryver.
Mrs. Rino Venturini.
Mrs. Emily Vignellino.
Mrs. John S. Osborne.
Holt Winfield.
Mrs. Holt Winfield.
Miss Julia Toth.
Mrs. Mark Pennington.
Mrs. J. R. Smith.
Mrs. George Eckert.
Miss Mildred Kennoch.
Mrs. Geo. Kennoch.
Miss Harriette Mosler.
Mrs. Wm. Terpening.
Mrs. I. F. Page.
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Wheeler.

Hardenburgh.

Jesse Cooper.
Mrs. Jesse Cooper.
Master LeRoy Cooper.
William Krom.
Clark W. Krom.
Arthur Conklin.
Ethel C. Hunt.
Mrs. S. A. Mann.
Mrs. Francis Keator.
Mrs. Ward Carroll.
Mrs. Ezra Sprague.

MONBACCUS.

Monbaccus, Dec. 29.—The entertainment and party held in the M. E. Church on Christmas eve was a success in every way. Much credit is due Mrs. A. Quick, who took such pains in drilling the choir. The sum of \$15.29 was realized.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Green spent Saturday and Sunday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Samuel McNair, of Accord.

A real family reunion was held at Frank Green's on Christmas day, when all the children and grandchildren, except one son, who is a trainman on the West Shore railroad, were gathered together for Christmas dinner.

Those who spent Christmas at Jesse McDonald's were Mr. and Mrs. Henry Osterhoudt of this place and Ralph McDonald, who is employed at Wauarsing.

Leroy and Albert Quick of Walden

Why Not TO-NIGHT ?

Don't Wait Until Monday !!!!

We have MARKED DOWN every Coat, Suit, Separate Skirt and Dress in Stock. When you can buy the BEST—the most fashionable and exclusive apparel, at or below the price of the commonplace sorts—which is the case here and now, we say again—WHY WAIT ?

VAN WAGENEN'S

Coats!—Decisively Reduced

If by chance, you have delayed the important question of purchasing your winter coat there is no need to wait longer. In a few short weeks stocks will be completely broken and choice will then of course, be a matter of difficulty. So don't delay—choose TO-NIGHT while the choice is not only good, but BEST!

A Group of Coats, Formerly Selling From 27.50 to 32.50

Marked Down to \$17.50 To-Night and Monday

These splendid coats demonstrate anew that when this store inaugurates a reduced price event, it is of the highest importance to every woman in this section.

Materials are the new silvertones, broadcloth, novelty cloths in attractive and durable weaves, and the ever wanted wool velour. Most of them are trimmed in fur, also odd idea in belts, pockets.

ALL HIGH-GRADE COATS REDUCED

Suits!—Decisively Reduced

This Final Sale of Suits is so important as to command your immediate and undivided attention.



Suits that were marked from 25.00 to 28.75 12.50
Suits that were marked from 29.50 to 39.00 19.50
Suits that were marked from 45.00 to 59.50 29.50

Better inducement for making an immediate trip to the store could not be offered. Better values cannot be expected. The suits are of the highest character worn today. Early choice is to your advantage.

Fur Trimmed
Plush
Coats
At \$29.50

Values are up to \$42.00
All elegantly lined.
The quality of Plush is the finest; styles are the season's best models

Year-End FUR Bargains !

The Newest and Most Desirable Furs Greatly Reduced

With the winter at its height, and almost the complete season of wear ahead, this sale of Furs is a bit of news that will be welcomed by all women in this territory who still have Furs to buy. Furs are such an important accessory this season from a Fashion stand point, that we know of no women who will not want to wear Furs now at these prices.

Reductions are unusual. Savings greater than you had expected. Those who have inspected these furs, but felt they could not pay the regular prices, will now seize upon this buying opportunity with enthusiasm.

are visiting friends and relatives of this place.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse McDonald visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis Markle, on Sunday.
Miss Ethel Hartelius spent Sunday afternoon and evening at the Breezy Hill House.
Miss Ethel McDonald was a caller at the Green residence on Sunday.
Rev. H. D. Frost and sister-in-law, Miss Hartwig, were callers in this place on Sunday.

Our Rabbits.

The term rabbit was formerly more properly applied to the burrowing species of the old world, *Lepus cuniculus* (meaning to burrow), though by common usage our moily cottontail has so long been termed a rabbit that the name will now stand, as will that of Jack rabbit for the big western hare of the prairies and Pacific coast.

A Commuter's Ambition.

We'd like to be in a financial position when we take a meal out, as we do once every two or three months with all the regularity of clockwork, to go to some place where "fruits in season" on the menu doesn't mean chiefly bananas—Ohio State Journal.

Nature's Error.

Sufferey writes us that if nature had known what she was about when she made man, she would have given him two noses—one to have a cold in and one for general utility. Then you could get the first one, amputated (as in the case of tonsils or an appendix) and live comparatively happily ever after. We will call nature's attention to it—Exchange.

He Didn't Know.

In a murder trial six experts were examined. Most of them had a national reputation. A hypothetical question of 20,000 words, which it required two hours to read, was asked of Doctor Jolley, a Boston expert on insanity. The learned doctor answered the question in three words: "I don't know." A frank answer, but rather perplexing to counsel—Case and Comment.

Orpheum Theatre

TODAY

Matinee 3 P. M. 10c Evening 7:15 and 9, 10-15c

SPECIAL VAUDEVILLE FEATURES

And Triangle Presents, CHARLES RAY, in

"The Clodhopper"

He teaches you how to laugh and to dance, with a battalion of billion dollar beauties.



TO YOUR EYESIGHT!

Having glasses that are fitted especially to your eyes is not for a hundred other cases.
EXPERT OPTOMETRY.
Our work means service equivalent for your eyes so we will be glad to show our facilities for the proper fitting of your eyes with correct glasses—give them the attention they need.

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Classified advertisements in this department will be inserted at the uniform price of one cent per word for each insertion. No advertisement less than 15 cents. If inserted but once, the advertiser may be left at our main office, 250 Broadway, or at our branch office, 250 Fair St. Also at the following places:

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TO LET.

TO LET—Three large furnished rooms, general housekeeping, inquire M. Kaplan, 72 Crown St.

TO LET—From April 1st, farm of 160 acres, new model barn, good buildings, one mile from Accord, New York, depot, on state road, near Dutch Reformed Church, fine level land, under high state W. cultivation. Apply Trimmer Realty Company, Inc., 205 Albany Ave., Kingston, N. Y.

TO LET—Offices and apartments, J. DeFur, 240 Fair St.

TO LET—5 room dwelling, improvements: 830 Manor Ave. 6 room cottage, improvements: 520 5 room flat, Smith Ave., improvements: 820 7 room flat, improvements: 820 5 room flat, Pine St., 311 4 rooms, 59 Shattuck Realty Co.

TO LET—House, Pierpont St., rent \$5, inquire 122 Highland Ave., Phone 1944-M.

TO LET—3 basement rooms; reasonable \$5 Green.

TO LET—8 room flat, Phone 1083-W or 1062-J.

TO LET—1 room flat, all improvements, 111 O'Neil St., inquire J. J. Ross, 357 Albany Ave., Phone 901-J.

TO LET—Flat, 5 rooms and bath, all improvements; hot water and heat; furnished throughout, 88 Henry St., Phone 622-M.

TO LET—January, No. 1 Ponckhockie St., 9 rooms with bath, all improvements; river view. Inquire 35 Albany St.

TO LET—Lower flat, 40 Montrose Ave., inquire 203 W. Chestnut St.

TO LET—Flat, 23 Lafayette Ave.

TO LET—Two flats in the Delaney House, one \$5 and one \$8. Inquire 150 Fair.

TO LET—Rooms; 136 Prospect St. Apply 145 Clinton Ave.

TO LET—5 room flat; St. James St. N. D. J. Murphy.

TO LET—Apartments, 73 Abel St. 50 Home St.; house, 65 East Union St., and 210 Delaware Ave., Estate of John N. Cordis.

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—I have the largest stock of second hand and new furniture also bought and sold. M. Kaplan, 68 North Front St., Phone 1210-R.

FOR SALE—ON AUCTION, at all times, one pair mules. Basch & Shapiro, 10 Ann St.

FOR SALE—Older typewriter and ball race, cheap, in good condition. 100 Downs St.

FOR SALE—Parlor stove, double heater with pipe for heating upstairs. Call 54 Downs St.

FOR SALE—2000 buys 1914 Model 70 Overland, "going" car, in good running order; new rear fender, extra fenders and wheels. Inquire Johnson, Washington Avenue Garage.

FOR SALE—200 cords timber and pasture land; level, creek, cut 2000 cords wood, 100,000 feet lumber, immediate sale for every stick. Palmyra, sawmill, station 4 miles, fine road, down grade, cherry orchard, small building, young horse, new harness, wagon, sleighs, wood and farm tools. Low price. Buy terms on all or part of plant. Wood alone will pay for all. Great chance for live man with motor truck. Box 224, Ellenville, N. Y.

FOR SALE—Hardman upright piano, good tone, \$150. Kurtzmann player piano with 125 music rolls, \$295. Waltham upright and player pianos at reduced prices. Metal tuning pin block and open sound chamber are patented features not found in any other make. J. E. Thomas, 35 Crown St. Waterrooms, 52 John St., Phone 1796-A.

FOR SALE—Cash register; cheap. 833 Broadway.

FOR SALE—Bait fish; shiners. Inquire chain ferry.

FOR SALE—Phone supplies, films, plates, cameras, printing paper, etc. O'Neil's, 630 Broadway.

FEMALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Woman for general housework; family of two. Address "B," Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Experienced banders; 30 cents per 1000. G. W. Van Slyke & Horton.

WANTED—A girl for dressmaking. Miss Lockwood, 18 Bedford St.

WANTED—Presser. Steady work and good wages. Apply 8 West Union St. Kingston Waist Factory.

WANTED—A factory in Hartford, Conn., wants experienced and inexperienced girls on light machine work, assembling and inspection. Good wages, best working conditions. Railroad fare refunded. "H," Downtown Freeman.

WANTED—Women; full time, salary \$15, spare time \$5 an hour, selling guaranteed hosiery to wear. Permanent; experience unnecessary. Guaranteed Hosiery Mills, Norristown, Pa.

WANTED—An experienced chauffeur and also girl to put on cuffs. Tomlinson Street Factory, 42 Thomas St., Phone 1492.

WANTED—OPERATORS: BOTH EXPERIENCED AND UNEXPERIENCED. FOR WORK ON STITCHING MACHINES. WE PAY WELL. WHILE LEARNING. FULLER SHIRT FACTORY, FINE GROVE AVE.

FURNISHED ROOMS.

FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Home St.

VERY desirable furnished rooms, 56 Green St.

FURNISHED housekeeping apartment, Phone 1117.

LARGE front room for one or two gentlemen; telephone and bath, second business section. 6 Crown St.

FURNISHED ROOMS—112 Home St.

DESIRABLE large front room, with board 150 Fair St.

FURNISHED rooms at reasonable prices, day or week. 215 Foxhall Ave.

SPEECHES MADE BY
FOUR MINUTE MEN

In the Interests of the Red Cross

Membership Campaign—Will Start A Speaking Campaign in the Interests of Sale of Thrift Stamps and War Saving Stamps.

Kingston's Four Minute Men made 59 brief addresses in the local theatres, in the interests of the Red Cross membership campaign, which ends today. Approximately 44,100 persons were reached in this way.

The addresses, although brief, were all of an inspiring nature, and helped the campaign to a great extent. All of the respective speakers were listened to with close attention.

The Four Minute Men will soon begin a speaking campaign in the interests of the Thrift Stamps and the War Savings Stamps now being issued by the government.

A list of the speakers and the speeches made by the Four Minute Men in the Red Cross membership drive follows:

Judge A. T. Clearwater 1
Postmaster Wm. C. DeWitt 1
Attorney Amos Van Ethen 1
Attorney Alfred D. Van Buren 3
Attorney Milton O. Auchmoody 3
Judge Frederick Stephan, Jr. 4
Attorney Newton D. Fessenden 4
Eugene B. Carey 2
Senator Chas. W. Walton 2
Attorney Harry H. Flemming 2
Attorney Emanuel Metzger 2
Attorney John W. Eckert 1
Judge James Jenkins 3
Attorney Andrew J. Cook 2
John E. Mahar 1
George Green 3
Clifford Bennett 4
Mayor Palmer Canfield 2
Attorney D. G. Atkins 1
P. H. Cullen 1
R. E. Leighton 4
Thos. J. Comerford 5
Judge W. D. Brinnler, Jr. 3

Best Kind of Play is Work.

One of the best kinds of play is work. Many of the elements of play enter into work if it is performed in the right spirit. The most satisfying forms of play are those in which interest is excited; competition, with desire to succeed and accomplish some definite end, makes the game worth playing. Work is fatiguing and distasteful when it is lacking in these elements.

Moss is Valuable.

"Moss" is the popular name for several kinds of small flowerless plants which flourish in damp places. In mountainous and wet districts tracts of moss are of great service in retaining the water and preventing sudden floods.

One Cent Per Word

No Advertisement Less Than 15 Cents.

LOST.

LOST—Diamond and platinum earrings. Reward, Mrs. John N. Cordis, Lindsay Ave. No questions asked.

LOST—Rosary, between St. Mary's Church and Chestnut St. initials "R. M. C." on cross. Finder, phone 694.

LOST—About \$25 in bills, Saturday afternoon on Broadway, St. James St. or in West Shore depot. Finder leave at Uptown Freeman Office. Reward.

LOST—About October 26 handkerchief with drawn-work border, "Elizabeth" embroidered in corner. Return 47 Albany Ave.

WANTED.

REFINED young man wishes to board, and lodging included, with private family, living in upper or central part of the city. Address with full particulars, "D. C. F.," Uptown Freeman Office.

WANTED—By man and wife, house or apartment, five rooms, hardwood floors, electric lights, gas, running water, desirable location. Applications which do not meet these conditions will not be considered. Address "T. C.," Uptown Freeman.

WANTED—Roll top desk. E. B. DuBois, Wallkill, N. Y.

WANTED—A check writer or protector; give description and lowest price. Check Protector, Uptown Freeman.

WANTED—Your magazine subscriptions. Best prices, any offer of responsible house furnished. O'Reilly's, 330 Broadway. Phone 1509.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE storage; best in city. Harry P. Carr. Phone 1124, 5-23.

EXPERT piano tuning; \$1.00. Merthins, 156 Prospect St. Phone 1847-W.

AUTO storage, \$1 and \$2 per month. Phone 143-W.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATIONS Kingston soon. Men and women of strong government clerkships, departmental, post office, railway, mail, customs, stenographers, write for free particulars to J. C. Leonard (former government examiner), 187 Kenosia Bldg., Washington.

FURNITURE storage, cheap, free, sanitary, fire-proof. Frederick C. Winters, Kingston, Phone 2112-7, at Brown Auto Supply Co., Phone 1066.

MONARCH and Remington Typewriters for rent. E. Winters' Sons, John St.

MORAN BUSINESS SCHOOL, Fair and Main Sts. Prepare now for well paying position. Winter session begins Wednesday, January 2, 1918. Day or evening. Register today.

PHONE 1509. All magazine subscriptions. The very best prices. We give Xmas packages with each subscription. O'Reilly's, 330 Broadway.

BANK NOTICE.

Uptown county is proud of its subscription to the Liberty Loan. The Wallkill National Bank reported a subscription of 200% of its allotment. We invite deposits in our commercial or Special Interest Department. Money deposited on or before January 15th will draw interest from January 1st at the rate of 4% interest from date of deposit in amounts of \$100 upwards. Wallkill National Bank, Wallkill, N. Y.

MALE HELP WANTED.

WANTED—Bell boy. Apply Eagle Hotel.

WANTED—Shirt ironers, on custom work, to go out of town. Phone 1015-W.

WANTED—Coopers; to make tight oak packages; or slack work coopers who will learn to make tight packages. Lohn & Son, Poughkeepsie.

FINANCIAL AND
COMMERCIAL

By Telegraph & The Freeman.

New York, Dec. 29.—There was a strong tone to the market at the opening today with nearly everything traded in making gains of from fractions to over one point. The railway road stocks maintained a strong tone. Union Pacific advanced one point to 115. Rock Island seven percent preferred rose two points to 67½, and fractional advances were made in the other railway issues. Steel Common sold up ½ to 85½ and Bethlehem B scored an equal advance to 73½. American Locomotive rose to 55 and gains of ¼ were made in Baldwin and American Car and Foundry. Studebaker was active and rose 1½ to 46½. Westinghouse advanced over one point to 40. Pullman rose to 115½, and Marine Preferred advanced to 80½.

After the gains in the initial trading heaviness developed. U. S. Steel declined to 87½, while Bethlehem B yielded to 72½. Union Pacific lost its opening gain of one point, while Northern Pacific sold off ¼ to 86. The market closed steady. U. S. Steel common declined from 88½ to 87½, general motors from 101½ to 100 and Erie first to 28½. Sales 433,500 shares; bonds \$3,964,000.

Quotations given by C. D. Halsey & Co., 15 Broad street, New York city, branch office, Warren building, 260-Fair street, Kingston, N. Y.

THE CLOSING QUOTATIONS

Allis-Chalmers	182½
American Beet Sugar	68½
American Car & Foundry	89½
American Can	36½
American Cotton Oil	54½
American Locomotive	55
American Smelting & Ref. Co.	74½
American Sugar	59
Anacosta Copper Mining	85
Alchison, Topeka & Santa Fe	57½
Baldwin Loco	57½
Baltimore & Ohio	59½
Bethlehem Steel B's, pfd	97
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	44½
Canadian Pacific	138
Central Leather	61½
Chesapeake & Ohio	51½
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	47
Colorado Fuel & Iron	35½
Corn Products	29½
Cruickel Steel	52½
Dunsmuir Securities	39½
Erie	28½
Erie 1st pfd	37
Goodrich Rubber	37
Great Northern, pfd	89½
Great Northern Ore	26
Interborough Con.	7½
Inter. Con. pfd	10½
Kansas City Southern	18½
Lehigh Valley	58
Maxwell Motor	24½
Maxwell Motor, 1st pfd	21
Maxwell Motor, 2d pfd	21½
Mexican Petroleum	77
National Lead	71½
New York Central	32
N. Y. N. H. & H.	32½
New York, Ontario & Western	23½
Norfolk & Western	104½
Northern Pacific	86
Pennsylvania Railroad	47
People's Gas, Chicago	48½
Pittsburgh Coal	58½
Pressed Steel Car	47½
Railway Steel Sh's	72½
Reading	72½
Rep. Iron & Steel	77½
Southern Pacific	74½
Southern Railway	24½
Southern Railway, pfd	30
Studebaker	49½
Union Pacific	114
U. S. Steel	87½
U. S. Steel, pfd	103
U. S. Rubber	50½
Utah Copper	78½
Virginia Car. Chem	40½
Westinghouse Electric	40½

SAWKILL.

Sawkill, Dec. 29.—St. Wendelin's Church, Ruby, Sunday, December 30, Mass at 8:30 a. m. Sermon and benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament.

St. Ann's Church, mass at 10:30 a. m. and sermon. Devotions and benediction of the Most Blessed Sacrament at 3:30 p. m. The Rev. George J. Vasth, rector.

The Rev. Thomas Sanderson C. S. S. R., professor of St. Mary's College, North East, Pa., preached two grand sermons which were highly appreciated by both parishes.

St. Ann's Hall was overcrowded on Christmas Night. A handsome sum of money was realized.

Messrs. John Heidecamp and Joseph Modica, Uncle Sam's heroes, were present in the hall Christmas night, and received a grand ovation.

The Misses Nellie O'Brien, Nellie McCaffrey, Nancy and Jennie Carroll are visiting their homesteads.

Rescue Hook and Ladder Co., will hold their 51st annual ball January 1st, 1918, at St. Mary's Hall.—Advertisement.

DIED.

KROM—At Wappingers Falls, December 27, 1917, Sarah Longyear, wife of John Krom.

Funeral services at Tillson Church on Monday, December 31, 1917, at 1 p. m. Friends and relatives are invited.

LONGYEAR—In this city, December 28, 1917, Eida Morrisso, wife of Elijah Longyear.

Funeral services at the chapel of St. James's M. E. Church on Monday at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

RAYMER—In this city, December 28, 1917, Peter Raymer, in his 62d year.

Funeral from his late residence, No. 12 Linderman avenue, on Monday at 11 a. m. Those desiring to view the remains may do so on Sunday from 2 to 5 p. m. Interment in Wittryck cemetery. Funeral private.

SICKLER—In this city, Thursday, December 27, 1917, Joseph Edward, son of Frederick and Jane Hornbeck Sickler, aged 38 years, 11 months and 27 days.

Funeral service at the residence of his parents, No. 272 Broadway, Saturday evening at 8 o'clock. Interment service Sunday under the auspices of the Shepherds of Bethlehem at the residence at 2:30 p. m. and at Montrose Cemetery at 3 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited.

CHRISTMAS DRIVE
CLOSES TO-NIGHT

Tonight at 6:15 the Red Cross

Christmas Membership Drive will close for Clister county, including the city of Kingston. It was learned today that because of the lack of enterprise or some other lack on the part of many of the workers, a great deal of big canvassing has had to be done today in the extreme cold, and by Team 4, which after completing its own assignment of work has been most vigorously pushing the drive by helping other teams. Thisteam, which has had the standard of American, Red Cross and Allied flags for three days, being nearly one hundred members ahead of other teams, has stopped for neither cold, business nor any other reason, having realized that they had a work which was needed to be done. This was made exceedingly plain by Major Meagher when he spoke yesterday.

It had been thought that indifference, ignorance, selfishness, and here and there a bit of pro-Germanism had been accountable for the many home windows with no Red Cross service flags. It now becomes plain that this condition is due in part to the fact that many workers retained their place on the teams while unable to do any or much work, thus keeping from active service others who would have worked gladly and with the needed enthusiasm. Still others of the active team workers have not had much enthusiasm. Consequently, in spite of the big effort which is being put forth today, Kingston will fall far below its allotment unless helped out by those having pride in their community and the means to back up that pride, which is not, after all, the idea of this Red Cross Christmas membership drive. Kingston has something to think over in connection with this drive.

SAUGERTIES.

Saugerties, Dec. 29.—Harold Kamp of Buffalo, is the guest of his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Kamp, on John street.

Supervisor John D. Fratscher, ex-Supervisor John A. Snyder, Edward J. Lewis and J. W. Frankel were present at the annual banquet of the Ulster County Supervisors' association at Kingston on Thursday afternoon.

Irving Russell of John street has resigned his position as rural mail carrier on route 3.

Mrs. James T. Maxwell delightfully entertained a number of young people at a dance at her home on Market street on Friday evening.

The following chiefs were elected at the meeting of Esopus Tribe, No. 482, I. O. R. M., Thursday evening: Sachem, E. J. Flanagan; senior sagamore, Richard Powers; junior sagamore, Arthur Oliver; prophet, Paul Treacy; chief of records, H. A. Williams; keeper of wampum, C. Babcock; trustees, N. J. Flanagan, Henry Abeel and J. G. Finger.

Mrs. Frank Schwab of Kingston is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Porter, of Main street.

Miss Daisy Whitaker of the South Side visited in Kingston today (Saturday).

Misses Rhena Disbrow and Satis Shultis were Kingston visitors on Thursday.

Mrs. Charles Wolven of Newburgh who has been visiting her parents on Partition street the past week has returned to her home.

Mrs. Clarence Hallenbeck of Ulster avenue is visiting in Brooklyn.

The annual Twelfth Night party will be held in Trinity chapel on Tuesday evening, Jan. 8th, 1918.

Miss Anna Herring of East Bridge street, was in Kingston today (Saturday).

Miss Ackersley, a former teacher in the high school and now from Atlantic City, N. J., is the guest of Miss Helen Davis on John street.

The Delta Gamma Sorority will give a dance for the benefit of local Red Cross in the high school assembly hall on Tuesday evening, Jan. 1st. Miller's orchestra of Kingston will furnish music for dancing.

Special Music at Trinity.

Special music will be rendered at Trinity M. E. Church on Sunday, at both the morning and evening services. The evening service will consist of special Christmas anthems and solos.

MORNING.

Prelude—March Peace

Professional hymn

Anthem, "Sing to God" Gounod

Contralto Solo, "Calm on the Listening Ear of Night" Harker

—Mrs. George D. Beckwith

Recessional hymn.

Postlude Heroique Diggle

EVENING.

Prelude—"Rememberance" Grotton

Professional Hymn.

Anthem—"The Manger Cradle" Neidlinger

Quintet of Men—"Silent Night"

Soprano Solo—"There's a Song in the Air" Speaks

Miss Ethel Knapp.

Anthem—"O Quiet Night" Gounod

Recessional hymn.

Postlude—Selected Harker

Buds and Flowers in Cooking.

The French Canadians are said to use the acid flowers of the redbud, or Judas tree, in salads, while the buds and tender pods are packed in vinegar. Honey locust pods, often locally called "honey-shucks," contain a sweetish, thick, cheese-like pulp, which is often eaten. Those of the mesquite furnish the Mexicans and Indians with a nutritious food. The Creoles of Louisiana, famous for their cookery, are reported to use the young buds of the massafra as a substitute for okra in thickening soups.

TALK HURTING GAME

Pessimistic Utterances of Owners Doing Sport Harm.

If Calamity Howlers Keep on Crying They Will Make Public Believe Baseball Is Dead—No Use for Cork-Cored Slacker.

Baseball owners are doing the sport untold harm by spreading pessimistic reports of the game's future that have no foundation in fact. If the Calamity Janes of the major and minor leagues keep on crying they will make the public believe that baseball is dead and they will divert their interests to some other form of sport.

Of course, if professional baseball to any degree is going to interfere with America's war preparations or hinder war operations, it should be suppressed without delay. Throwing a larlet around the kaiser's neck is a matter of bigger consequence than paying a cork-cored slacker a small fortune for "soldiering" on his manager, writes Jimmy Isaminger.

But through the exercise of some intelligence, it should be possible for America to get its mind off the horrors of warfare by attending its favorite sport, and at the same time not interfere with our participation in the great world conflict.

In England, which is nearer the battle scene than is the United States, the patronage at theaters has been extremely heavy, because there must be a time in the week when John Bull can forget barrage fire, gas attacks and U-boat atrocities. Soccer, which was abandoned at first, is playing to large crowds, for the reason that it was seen that dropping the sport altogether was a mistake.

The continuance of sport tends to preserve the morale of the nation, and no sport should be dropped

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 29, 1917.

Sun rises, 7:24; sets, 4:42.
Weather, cloudy.

The Temperature.

The lowest point registered by the Freeman's thermometer last night was 6 below. The highest point reached up until noon today was 1 below.

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 29.—Cloudy and continued cold tonight and Sunday, with occasional snow flurries in east portion.

EXPERT ADVICE FOR SHIPPERS

In these times of freight congestion, embargoes, war tax, etc., incident to the business of Kingston shippers, it has occurred to Secretary Ed. M. Heermans of the Kingston Chamber of Commerce that some of the large shippers here might find the need of expert advice.

Secretary Heermans said today that a man in Washington eminently qualified by experience and general fitness, had been recommended to him by a Kingston manufacturer who has had business relations with this gentleman.

The man, the secretary said, has heretofore held a responsible position in the office of the Interstate Commerce Commission for a number of years.

If any of the Kingston shippers desire to correspond with this party, whose charges are nominal, the secretary will be glad to supply his name and address upon request.

Aesthetic Talk Leads to Fine.

There is no accounting for the diversity of aesthetic tastes and no way of predicting who they will lead. For instance, at Saugerties on Thursday, Patrick Dempsey, a barber employed in George Lang's barber shop, and George Krantz, an employee of the Century Cut Glass Company, began a discussion over "how to eat soup," during which Dempsey struck Krantz in the vicinity of his soup-in-take. When arraigned before Justice of the Peace Childers, Dempsey pleaded guilty to a charge of assault in the third degree and was fined \$5 which he paid. City Judge William D. Brinnier, Jr., of this city appeared for Krantz and George F. Kaufman of Saugerties represented Dempsey.

BUSINESS NOTICES.

More than 1,000 orders for Christmas engraved cards received by McIntyre county, New York and Albany, bespeak the public's appreciation of staple and fancy engraving. Throughout the coming year you may find engraved work I shall be glad to look after it for you.

JOSEPH DRAKE,

116 Nassau St., New York City.

Special turkey dinner New Years at the Winter Lunch, 563 Broadway.

A good time to buy sewing machines; prices \$10, \$25, \$30 and \$40. The New Royal and Standard; easy payment plan.

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\$1.00 shirts, 55c; \$1.50 shirts, 75c. Factory seconds.

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Elmer Palen will have at his next sale, Tuesday, January 1, New Year's day, at 652-654 Broadway, Kingston, N. Y., a car load of horses from New York, and a car load from New Jersey, single and matched pairs and the usual run of commission horses.

The Broadway Garage has taxi service at your call day and night. Phone 451.

I will not be responsible for any debts or bills that my wife, Mrs. William Ingram, Jr., might make. Signed by WILLIAM INGRAM, JR.

Eastman Kodaks, Films and Supplies. CONNELLY DRUG CO., corner Broadway and Strand.

CUT FLOWERS AND PLANTS. Make very fine New Years gifts. VALENTIN BURGEVIN, INC.

DIARIES FOR 1918. Large assortment counting house and office diaries, calendar pads, desk sets.

O'REILLY'S 530 Broadway.

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The Daily Freeman is on sale at the following stands of the Schults News Agency in New York city: 102 W. 42nd St., 42nd St. & Park Ave. (opposite Grand Central Depot), 30th St. & Broadway (S. W. Cor.), 42nd St. & 6th Ave. (S. W. Cor.).

Loose Leaf Books, Memorandums, Ledgers, Journals, Day Books in canvas, leather and tuxoid covers.

O'REILLY'S 550 Broadway.

A large assortment of Victrola Records just received today.

W. H. RIDER'S MUSIC STORE

304 Wall St.

FOOD PRODUCTION IN ULSTER COUNTY

Basis of Life Should Not Be Forgotten in Other Activities and Farm Bureau Should Have 2,000 Members.

At no time since the Civil War has the maintaining of our agricultural production been as important as now. It is a military as well as an economic necessity. Food is the first need of man. Consequently those who produce it and the organizations which enable them to more effectively and more cheaply to produce are of greater military importance than the making of munitions, the Red Cross or the Y. M. C. A., although all of these are indispensable in the present crisis. The longer the war lasts the more serious is going to become the problem of producing sufficient food. The Ulster County Farm Bureau Association is an organization of farmers and others of this county formed in order to cooperate with the state and federal departments of agriculture in order to at least maintain our present quantity of food production. But, although there are 91,000 people in Ulster county who are dependent upon agriculture for their existence, and although we are credited with 5,000 farms in the county there are only 550 persons who are organized for the maintenance of agricultural production. It will become necessary to have at least 2,000 members in this organization in order to effectively organize the work in every community so as to conserve the time, the money, the effort and the energy of farmers so that what they do will bring about the largest production. In the great majority of cases it is not possible for farmers to "speed up" by working longer hours or working faster while he works. If any gain is to be made in production it must come by the saving of the items mentioned above.

Secretary-Treasurer David Burgevin of Farm Bureau Association announces the following as having paid up their membership dues in the association for 1918. Other should renew. New members should come.

Life Members.

P. E. Barman, Kingston, N. Y.
Sam Bernstein, Kingston, N. Y.
Wm. D. Brinnier, Kingston, N. Y.
Jules Breuchard, Olive Bridge, N. Y.

Valentin Burgevin Sons, Kingston, N. Y.
Canfield Supply Co., Kingston, N. Y.

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John E. Kraft, Kingston, N. Y.
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Dr. C. O. Sahler, (Deceased).
Wm. M. Speer, Kingston, N. Y.
Stock & Cordis, Kingston, N. Y.
Myron Teller, Kingston, N. Y.
Ulster Garage, Kingston, N. Y.
L. B. Van Wageningen Co., Kingston, N. Y.

J. O. Winston, 192 Albany Ave., Kingston, N. Y.

Members of the Farm Bureau Association, Who in Joining, Paid For Through Years in Advance to Include 1918.

Mrs. Catherine Cantino, Stone Ridge, N. Y.

Aaron Cohen, Kingston, N. Y.
A. C. DeWitt, Kingston, N. Y.
Mrs. J. W. Dimick, Rifton, N. Y.
S. E. Eighmey, Kingston, N. Y.
Frank Forman, Kingston, N. Y.
Freeman Publishing Co., Kingston, N. Y.

Gregory & Co., Kingston, N. Y.
D. N. Matthews, Kingston, N. Y.
Edw. T. McGill, Kingston, N. Y.
Oppenheimer Bros., Kingston, N. Y.

Ulster Grange, Kingston, N. Y.

Mrs. M. C. Van Winkle, Stone Ridge, N. Y.

Volven & Ebel, Kingston, N. Y.

List of Members Paid For 1918.
J. W. Alsford, Highland, R. F. D. 4, N. Y.

Mrs. A. Berryann, Boulevard, Kingston, N. Y.

A. Bredesky, Accord, N. Y.
Abner Birch, Wallkill, N. Y.
M. L. Birch, Wallkill, R. F. D. 2, N. Y.

N. W. Bishop, West Shokan, N. Y.
G. W. Beck, Cottekill, N. Y.
George Bloxham, Montela, N. Y.
Henry Broadhead, Ellenville, N. Y.
David Burgevin, Kingston, N. Y.
George W. Castle, Ellenville, N. Y.
G. C. Christiansa, Olive Bridge, N. Y.

John Cathcart, Woodstock, N. Y.
A. B. Clark & Son, Milton, N. Y.
John Coddington, Peekapoese, N. Y.

Cohen & Slutsky, Ellenville, N. Y.
C. E. Crandall, Belleny, N. Y.
Frederick Davis, Stone Ridge, N. Y.

Chauncey DeVall, Woodstock, N. Y.

H. L. Devore, Accord, N. Y.
A. Dero, Forest Glen, N. Y.
A. L. P. Dero, Gardiner, N. Y.
Joseph Dero, Gardiner, N. Y.
Donald G. Downer, E. S. S. Vermont, C. O. Government, New York City, (home, Woodstock).

El H. DuBois, New Paltz, R. 1, N. Y.

Fred DuBois, New Paltz, R. 1, N. Y.

Mrs. John Forsyth, Kingston, N. Y.
Robert Harder, Lake Katrine, N. Y.

W. S. Hartshorn, Gardiner, R. F. D. N. Y.
C. V. Hasbrouck, M. D., Rosendale, N. Y.
George Hasbrouck, West Park, N. Y.

Rev. A. H. Haynes, 29 Green St., Kingston, N. Y.

C. J. Hepworth, Milton, N. Y.
J. A. Hepworth, Milton, N. Y.
Leslie Herring, Ulster Park, N. Y.
Wm. Hotelling, Wallkill, N. Y.
G. E. House, Ulster Park, N. Y.
Graham Hurd, & Son, Clintondale, N. Y.

Alfred Huty, Woodstock, N. Y.
A. E. Jansen, New Paltz, N. Y.
Kavinoff & Kushner, Napanoch, N. Y.

Frank Kothe, Claryville, N. Y.
Max Kramer, Ellenville, N. Y.
C. I. Lefever, Box 36, R. F. D., Kingston, N. Y.

Kufus Lefevre, Rosendale, N. Y.
J. Lennox, Morrisville, N. Y.
S. Lindenbaum, Kerhonkson, N. Y.
Peter Longendyke, Woodstock, N. Y.

George E. McCord, Wallkill, R. F. D. 2, N. Y.

Wm. V. Mack, Gardiner, N. Y.
C. N. Morse, Lackawack, N. Y.
E. Moskowitz, Kerhonkson, N. Y.
Miss Emma H. Palmer, Ardonia, N. Y.

A. Pasachowitz, Kerhonkson, N. Y.
H. Polhemus, Ulster Park, R. F. D. 1, N. Y.

H. Lewis Reynolds, Bearsville, N. Y.
H. R. Reynolds, Bearville, N. Y.
Wm. H. Rhinehart, Binnewater, N. Y.

Frank Richard, Montela, N. Y.
Joseph Richard, Montela, N. Y.
George W. Riscely, Woodstock, N. Y.

M. Rodberg, Kerhonkson, N. Y.
Courtland Rodney, Woodstock, N. Y.

Rosenstein & Yaffee, Ellenville, N. Y.

D. E. Schoonmaker, Accord, N. Y.
Jacob Schreiber, New Paltz, R. D. 1, N. Y.

John M. Short, Cottekill, N. Y.
Otto D. Short, Box 212, R. D., Ulster Park, N. Y.

Ruber Shull, Napanoch, N. Y.
Charles Slutsky & Son, Ellenville, N. Y.

Mrs. Elmer Smith, Kyserville, N. Y.
Elmer Smith, Kyserville, N. Y.
Harry Snyder, Cottekill, N. Y.
Elmer C. Steere, Montela, N. Y.
Leroy Styles, Cottekill, N. Y.
W. D. Tallman, Highland, R. F. D. 4, N. Y.

Myron S. Teller, 280 Wall St., Kingston, N. Y.

Jay Terry, 40 West Chester St., Kingston, N. Y.

Frank Thomsen, Napanoch, N. Y.
A. B. Tice, Spring Glen, N. Y.
Andrew J. Todd, Mapledale, N. Y.
Russell Trowbridge, Kyserville, N. Y.

Henry Unland, New Paltz, N. Y.
F. W. Vail, Marlborough, N. Y.
Riley Van Aken, Claryville, N. Y.
Sylvanus Van Aken, Ulster Park, Box 212, R. D. N. Y.

Van De Berg & Simmons, Bearsville, N. Y.

C. H. Van Tui, 155 West 65th St., New York City, (farm, Modena).

R. T. Velle, Marlborough, N. Y.
W. V. Velle, Marlborough, N. Y.
Wm. V. Velle, Broadhead, N. Y.
R. B. Walker, Cottekill, N. Y.
Christopher Walsh, Ellenville, N. Y.

John C. Welsh, 128 Westervelt Ave., Brighton, N. Y., (farm, Modena).

M. B. Whispe, Pine Hill, N. Y.
Clayb. Winchell, Shokan, N. Y.
H. L. Winchell, Stone Ridge, N. Y.
A. Wurtzburger, 342 West 88th St., New York City, (farm, Pine Hill).

S. B. Wygant, Marlborough, N. Y.
Mrs. Chester Young, Napanoch, N. Y.

HORTON & HORTON, 100 Hudson St., New York City.

Of the Hudson Valley Federation of Commercial Organizations.

Thomas A. Horton, of the firm of Van Slyke & Horton, and one of the directors of the Kingston Chamber of Commerce, has been designated by President Leighton as one of the vice presidents of the Hudson Valley Federation of Commercial Organizations.

According to Secretary Heermans of the Kingston Chamber of Commerce, who gave out the announcement today, the post is an important one.

The federation is composed of all the commercial organizations of the Hudson Valley, and the organization in addition to annual meetings, conducts through its officers, of which Mr. Horton will be one, various negotiations of interest and importance to all cities in the valley.

Secretary Heermans is in touch with the work of the federation and will attend all meetings and affiliate with the movement.

WEST PARK.

West Park, Dec. 29.—A special meeting of the W. P. A. will be held in the school house on Wednesday evening, January 2, at 7:30 p. m. All members are urged to attend this meet. Payment of dues can be paid at this meeting next Wednesday evening. All members please be present at this meeting.

There will be no service in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

Gilbert R. Ackert, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Ackert of this village, was married on Christmas Day to Miss Cecil Murre of Kingston. Mr. Ackert is the proprietor of the Subway Lunch on Railroad avenue, Kingston. Mr. Ackert's many friends here wish him and his bride a long and prosperous married life.

Miss Dorcas Deener and Miss Florence Green were visitors at Kingston on Christmas Day.

Miss Hazel Ackert has accepted a position at New Jersey.

The dance which was to be given by the West Park Neighborhood Association last evening was postponed on account of the death of the president's mother, Mrs. J. J. Smith. Mrs. Smith died at her home in New York City on Christmas morning, after a short illness of pneumonia.

There will be Christmas exercises in the Baptist church on Wednesday evening, January 2. There will be a Christmas tree for the children, ice cream and cake will be served at the exercises.

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AT ARMORY

New Year's Night

Admission, Including War Tax, 55c

SUNDAY SERVICES

IN THE CHURCHES.

First Church of Christ, Scientist.

161 Fair street.—Service at 11 a. m. Subject, "Christian Science." Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Testimonial meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45 o'clock.

The First Reformed Church, the Rev. Dr. Leeper, minister.—Sermon, 10:30, "What Shall We Write on the New Year?" 7:30, "New Year's service. Address, 'Where Art Thou?' S. S., 12 m. C. E., 6:45 p. m.

The Salvation Army, 94 North Front street, Commandant Eugene Mott in charge.—2:30 Bible School; 6:45, Y. P. L. service; 8 o'clock, Salvation meeting. Watch Night Service 11:15 Monday night. Week night meetings Thursday, Friday and Saturday at the officers' quarters.

Free Methodist Church, Tremper avenue, near O'Neil street, the Rev. A. Willis, Myer, pastor.—Sunday school at 10 a. m. Preach. at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Young people's meeting at 6:45 p. m. Class meeting Tuesday. Prayer meeting Thursday; both services at 7:45 p. m.

Church of the Holy Spirit, Wurts street, Rev. John James Bott, rector.—Holy communion 8 a. m. Morning prayer and sermon 10:45 a. m. Sunday school and Bible Class 12:10 noon. No evening services. Jr. Bro. St. Andrew, Friday 7:30 p. m. Choir rehearsal Saturday, 1 p. m.

First Baptist Church, Albany avenue, Rev. Arthur S. Cole, pastor.—Morning service at 10:30; sermon topic, "What Happened at a Wedding." Bible school at 11:45 a. m. Christian Endeavor meeting at 6:45 p. m. Evening service at 7:30; sermon topic, "Stopping at a Funeral." The special Christmas music will be repeated, but at different services.

Fair Street Reformed Church, Rev. F. B. Seeley, pastor.—Divine service, 10:30 a. m.; subject of sermon, "True and False Gods." Bible school at noon. Christian Endeavor prayer service at 6:45 p. m. Evening worship, 7:30; subject of sermon, "The Challenge of the Hour to Manhood." The Christmas music will be repeated.

Ponceboskie Union Church, Congregational, the Rev. F. W. Moot, pastor.—Divine worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "The Uplifted Saviour." Evening, "The Closed Book." Bible school at 2:30 p. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.; subject, "Planning for the Future." Prayer meeting, Thursday evening at 7:30, subject, "The Congregational Church."

First Presbyterian Church, Elmendorf street, the Rev. Putnam Cady, D. D., pastor.—Morning worship at 10:30. Service for the old and New Year, "Highways to the Heart." The choir will sing Christmas anthems. Bible school at 11:00. Vesper service at 5; Jerusalem Illustrated. Forty lantern slides will show places of interest within the walls of the Church of the Holy Sepulchre; Jews' Walling Place; Temple Area, etc. The service closes at 6 precisely.

St. John's Episcopal Church, Wall street.—7:30 a. m. early celebration of the holy communion. 10 a. m. Sunday school. 11 morning prayer and sermon, the subject being, "The Child, a Sign." The evening service will be omitted in order that the entire choir may be present at the midnight service on Monday night, New Year's eve. At this midnight service, the holy communion will be celebrated at 11:30 p. m. The Rev. J. I. Blair Larned, rector.

Livingston Street Lutheran Church, head of East Chestnut street, the Rev. F. T. Schroeder, pastor.—Services in German on Sunday morning at 10:30, on Monday evening at 8, and on Tuesday morning at 10:30. The Immanuel Young People's Society will meet on Wednesday evening at 8 o'clock. On Friday evening the Friendly Sewing Club will give an entertainment in the schoolrooms to which the members of the congregation and friends are invited.

Trinity M. E. Church, Wurts and Hunter streets, Rev. P. C. Weyant, pastor.—Class meeting at 9:45. The morning worship at 10:30. Sunday school at 12 o'clock. Epworth League at 6:45. Topic, "Our Year of Jubilee." Leader, Henry A. Peakin. Evening worship at 7:30. Week of prayer will be observed, beginning with watch night service, and continuing through the week. The watch night service will begin at 9:30. The first hour will be in charge of the Epworth League. The last hour from 11 to 12 will be a devotional hour.

Spring Street German Lutheran Church, the Rev. A. Schmidt, pastor.—Service at 10:30 a. m. The service will be conducted and the sermon preached by Louis Schmidt, pastor of the church. Evening service, English, at 7:30. Subject of the sermon, "Thoughts on the Christmas Story." The beautiful Christmas tree will be lighted once more at this service. Sunday schools, German, at 9 a. m. English, at 2 p. m. Services will be held on New Year's Eve at 10:30 a. m. Annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society next Thursday at 3 p. m. After the meeting the ladies will attend the annual reception to be given by Mrs. A. Schmidt at the parsonage. A large attendance is anticipated.

Reformed Church of the Comforter, Wyntonk Place, the Rev. Wilbur Foxhall, pastor.—Morning worship at 10:30, with sermon by the pastor, on "Faithful Stewardship." The recently elected elders and deacons will be installed and ordained at this service. Bible school at the 7 o'clock hour. An invitation is given to the young men to join Mr. Raschke's class and all adult men and women to join the adult Bible class taught by the pastor. Christian Endeavor prayer meeting in the chapel at 6:45; subject, "Planning for the Future." Leader, Miss Ethel Parslow. Monthly praise service at 7:30. Sermon by the pastor appropriate to the last service of this year on "The End of the Year." The male quartet will

sing at this service. Any who did not receive their packages of envelopes last Sunday for the year 1918 can get them at either the morning or evening service.

St. James's Methodist Episcopal Church, Rev. Dr. T. H. Baragwanath, minister.—Public worship 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Dr. Baragwanath will preach at the morning service. The subject will be in keeping with the closing of the year—"The Transient and the Permanent in Life." In the evening at the popular service Secretary Thornberry will tell the story of his experiences as a Y. M. C. A. worker at the big camp for soldiers at New Orleans. It will be a most interesting story, and it will afford Kingston the opportunity of learning how their money is being spent. Sunday school, 11:45 a. m. Epworth League service, 6:30 p. m. Topic, "Our Year of Jubilee." Watch night service at the Clinton Avenue Church on Monday evening. There will be no meeting on Thursday evening. On Friday evening there will be an open missionary meeting. Miss Grace Preston of Hirosocki, Japan, will speak and there will be beautiful missionary tableaux. Sunday evening, January 6, Emil Closs, the famous Swiss hand bell ringer, will play on his Gospel Bells.

Clinton Avenue Methodist Episcopal Church.—Morning worship at 10:30; sermon topic, "A New Start." Sunday school session and class meeting at 11:45. Junior probationers' meeting at 2:30. Epworth League members requested to meet in lecture room at 7:15 sharp to be in readiness to attend the evening service in a body. Each member is asked to invite some one not a member to attend with them. Topic for the evening service, "Taking Men Alive." The Epworth League will conduct the following services during the coming week: Monday evening, "Watch Night" service, beginning at 9:30. Dr. Bell will speak at 10 o'clock. Wednesday evening Rev. C. Coddington of Highland will speak. Thursday evening Adjutant and Mrs. Mott will have charge of the service. Friday evening Rev. W. J. McPherson of Stone Ridge will speak. This service will begin at 7 o'clock to give our people a chance to attend a missionary meeting at St. James's later in the evening. Church located at Clinton avenue and Liberty street. Rev. G. M. Cranston, pastor.

Lutheran Church of the Redeemer, Wurts street, Rev. P. S. Baringer, pastor.—Morning service and sermon at 10:30 o'clock. Subject, "Simeon's Prophecy." Evening service and address at 7:30 o'clock. Subject, "A New Year's Message." Bible school at 11:45 o'clock. The regular monthly meeting of the Ladies' Aid Society Thursday evening at 8 o'clock. The Sunday evening service will be a special musical service, with the following program. Carols will be sung from the tower of the church at 7:15 o'clock. The choir will render the following: Anthem—There Were Shepherds Abiding.—There Were Shepherds Duet—The Radiant Star.—Whitely Coons Herman LaTour and Harry Clearwater.

Anthem—The Hush of Night Hath Fallen.—Thus Saith the Lord. (Air.) "But Who May Abide the Day of His Coming?"—Mr. Clearwater.

Solo—Little Son, O My Treasure, Mr. All, from Cantata "Bethlehem"—J. H. Maunders Mrs. LaTour.

Anthem—Sing O Heavens.—Tours Redeemer chimes ring 10:10 a. m. and 7:10 p. m.

Wurts Street Baptist Church, the Rev. A. F. Fuller, minister.—Services of worship at 10:30 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Morning theme, "How to Be Come Great in Christ's Kingdom." Evening, "Some Things to Thank God For As We Cross the Threshold of the New Year." Sunday school at 12 m.

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